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1. Thailand

The first Communist insurgent attack against a government installation has been reported in north-east Thailand.

A 12-man raiding party of subversives attacked a small government information center in Nakhon Phanom Province on 21 December, killing one civilian and wounding another. The attack occurred close to the area in which bands of subversives have been reported training in recent months.

2. Colombia

The army's pursuit of the Communist bandit gangs led by Tiro Fijo and Mayor Ciro seems to have slowed down, probably because of the Christmas holidays. The brigade commander in charge of the pursuit

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canceled holiday leave for most of his personnel, but the headquarters commanders of support units did not do so.

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